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Examiner:

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/EP 04/052644

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FOR: STABILIZED BODY CARE PRODUCTS,  
HOUSEHOLD PRODUCTS, TEXTILES AND  
FABRICS

U.S. APPLICATION NO: 10/576,915

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached PTO-1449 form. A copy of the International Search Report was supplied, when this application entered the U.S. national phase.

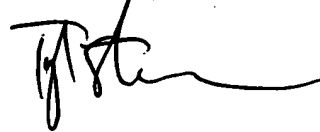
The International Search Report indicates that U.S. 2002/0088574 and U.S. 6,599,326 are substantively cumulative English language counterparts of WO 00/24963 and U.S. 2002/0009142 which is now U.S. 6,630,002 is a substantively cumulative English language counterpart of WO 01/85857.

Copies of the non-U.S. references (that do not have U.S. equivalents) and/or English language abstracts thereof are enclosed herewith.

Applicants would also like to bring to the Examiners attention copending application 10/512,528.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form.

Respectfully submitted,

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